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☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional

continued prosecution application of prior pending Application No. 09/353,592, filed July 15, 1999.

For (Title): APPLICATOR FOR A POLYMERIZABLE MONOMER

(Amended Title):

By (Inventors): Andrés RIVERA and Keith R. D'ALESSIO

1. ☒ Abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application.

2. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

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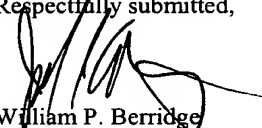
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5. ☐ Please enter in the present application the Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.116 with any attachments filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in said prior application, which was not entered therein.
6. ☒ Please suspend action on this CPA application for three months under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(b). Check no. 142560 in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the suspension fee is attached.
7. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.53(d)(4)). Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior application:  
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8. ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Claims added by this Amendment are properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claim in the prior application.
9. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached.
10. ☐ Small entity status:  
☐ a. Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.  
☐ b. Small entity status is no longer claimed.
11. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
12. ☐ This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.
13. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to James A. Oliff, Registration No. 27,075, William P. Berridge, Registration No. 30,024, Kirk M. Hudson, Registration No. 27,562, Thomas J. Pardini, Registration No. 30,411, Edward P. Walker, Registration No. 31,450, Robert A. Miller, Registration No. 32,771, Mario A. Costantino, Registration No. 33,565, Stephen J. Roe, Registration No. 34,463, Joel S. Armstrong, Registration No. 36,430, Christopher W. Brown, Registration No. 38,025, Richard E. Rice, Registration No. 31,560, Paul Tsou, Registration No. 37,956, and/or Eric D. Morehouse, Registration No. 38,565.
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